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Re: Approval of Monitoring Well Screen Intervals for Well Locations A-76 and A-77, and
Work Plan requirements for Monitoring Well A-65
Administrative Order on Consent for Nu-West Industries, Inc.
Idaho Facility, Docket No. RCRA-10-2009-0186

Dear Mr. Maxie:

This letter provides approval of the monitoring well screen intervals for well locations A-76 and A-77, as discussed on a conference call with Nu-West Industries (Nu-West) and your contractor WSP today. The approved screen intervals are as follows:

- A-76 Monitoring well screened at 205 to 220 feet below ground surface
- A-77 Monitoring well screened at 210 to 230 feet below ground surface

The 2014 Groundwater Investigation Work Plan dated June 13, 2014 requires installation of monitoring well A-65, at a location as depicted in Figure 1 of that work plan. Nu-West has recommended to not install this well. Paragraph 129 of the Administrative Order on Consent provides that modifications to Work Plans utilized in carrying out the Consent Order may be made by written agreement of the Project Coordinators. Based on discussions with Nu-West over the past week and other information provided to EPA by Nu-West, EPA concurs that the 2014 Groundwater Investigation Work Plan is hereby modified as to not require installation of the A-65 monitoring well.

Thank you for your attention to this important matter.

Sincerely,

Peter Magolske
Air and RCRA Compliance Unit

cc: Brian Monson, Idaho Department of Environmental Quality
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